

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: Paul J. Husted et al.

Application No.: 10/782,394

Art Unit.: 2611

Filed: 02/18/2004

Examiner: Kevin M. Burd

For: "Method And Apparatus For Selective Disregard Of Co-Channel Transmissions On A Medium"

**Docket No.: ATH-0125**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: August 18, 2008

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.
2. **STATUS:** Applicant is other than a small entity.
3. **EXTENSION OF TERM:** A Petition And Fee For Extension Of Time (37.C.F.R. 1.136(a)) is filed herewith.
4. **FEES FOR CLAIMS:** The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated below:

(Col.1)	(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	LARGE ENTITY		
Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Addit. Fee	
Total 48	Minus 88	= -0-	x \$50 =	\$-0-	
Indep. 7	Minus 7	= -0-	x \$210 =	\$-0-	
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim			+ \$370 =	\$0	
			Total		
			Addit. Fee	\$-0-	

5. **FEES PAYMENT and DEFICIENCY:** *This Amendment is being electronically filed and fees should be charged to our American Express credit card.* Please charge the amount of \$120 for one-month extension of time. If any additional extension and/or fee is required, or if there is an underpayment of fees, please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-0574 (Docket No. ATH-0125).

  
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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO THE SECOND OFFICE ACTION

Initial Comments:

This response addresses the status of Claims 1-17, 19-24, 51-56, 60, and 62-79. Claims 1-17, 51-56, 60, and 62-79 are allowed. Claims 19-21 and 23 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(a) as being anticipated by U.S. Publication 2002/0183027 (Husted). Claims 22 and 24 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being rendered obvious by Husted in view of U.S. Publication 2004/0208151 (Haverinen).

No claims are amended herein.